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SUBJECT:

Shipments received Gold Bullion
pr El Paso Smelting Company
of Colorado pr their Statement
in Mark for Calendar Jan 1895
Wants information Concerning
said bullion

Answered
April 22/96

No. of Inclosures, Note

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